

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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In re application of: Burbank et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AUTOMATED BIOPSY AND COLLECTION OF
SOFT TISSUE

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Sir,

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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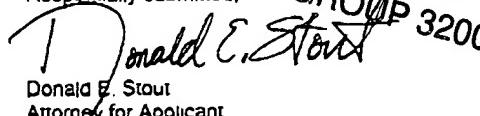
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